

JARVIS ROGER L
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 JARVIS ROGER L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SPINNAKER EXPLORATION CO [SKE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1200 SMITH STREET, SUITE 800
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/13/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman, President and CEO

HOUSTON, TX 77002

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	12/13/2005		D		118,239	D	
					\$ 65.50		
					(1)		
Common Stock	12/13/2005		D		2,538	I	By 401(k) Plan
					\$ 65.50		
					(1)		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5	12/13/2005		D	308,000	<u>(2)</u>	12/20/2006	Common Stock	308,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.63	12/13/2005		D	384,000	<u>(3)</u>	12/20/2006	Common Stock	384,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.5	12/13/2005		D	236,529	<u>(4)</u>	10/04/2009	Common Stock	236,529
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.13	12/13/2005		D	73,500	<u>(5)</u>	02/28/2010	Common Stock	73,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.55	12/13/2005		D	200,000	<u>(6)</u>	05/08/2011	Common Stock	200,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.89	12/13/2005		D	100,000	<u>(7)</u>	05/06/2008	Common Stock	100,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.08	12/13/2005		D	40,000	<u>(8)</u>	02/13/2009	Common Stock	40,000

Employee

Stock

Option	\$ 34.05	12/13/2005		D	20,000	<u>(9)</u>	05/06/2012	Common Stock	20,000
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(right to buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JARVIS ROGER L 1200 SMITH STREET SUITE 800 HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		Chairman, President and CEO	

Signatures

Roger L. Jarvis 12/15/2005

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The shares were disposed of pursuant to the merger agreement between the issuer and Norsk Hydro ASA in exchange for merger consideration of \$65.50 per share.
 - (2) Options became 100% vested on December 20, 2000 and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$18,634,000.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (3) Options became 100% vested on December 20, 2000 and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$19,152,000.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (4) Options became 100% vested on October 4, 2003 and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$12,062,979.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (5) Options became 100% vested on February 28, 2004 and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$3,629,062.50, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (6) Options became 100% vested on May 8, 2005 and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$5,590,000.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (7) Options vested 20% on May 6, 2003, the grant date, and vested in 20% increments on each anniversary of the grant date and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$4,261,000.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (8) Options vested 20% on February 13, 2004, the grant date, and vested in 20% increments on each anniversary of the grant date and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$1,136,800.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.
 - (9) Options vested 20% on May 6, 2005, the grant date, and were canceled in the merger in exchange for a cash payment of \$629,000.00, representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and merger consideration of \$65.50.

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